

I strongly endorse allowing XM Radio to continue to provide Instant Traffic and Weather for various regions in the US. Specifically, in the Washington DC region, I find the constant traffic updates to be invaluable. There is no other resource which gives me this information. I cannot rely on the standard AM or FM stations to give this constant updating. The regular AM and FM stations may have traffic "on the 10's" meaning every 10 minutes during rush hours, but this is not frequent enough. The frequency, quality, and quantity of information are not available at any other source than Satellite Radio. The constant Traffic information is invaluable, and is a major reason that I subscribe to XM. (The only thing better would be to have this information broadcast directly to a GPS map so that my route can be constantly updated).

Do Not Allow the local broadcasters to take away this essential service.

Thank you.

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